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**Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples by the specialized agencies and the international institutions associated with the United Nations**

## Report of the President of the Council on consultations with the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples

### Information submitted by the specialized agencies and other organizations of the United Nations system on their activities with regard to the implementation of the Declaration

**Corrigendum**

**Paragraph 5**

For the existing text *substitute*

5. The Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) does not as yet cooperate with any Non-Self-Governing Territory other than Tokelau, which became an associate member of FAO in June 2011. The current relationship of FAO with the Non-Self-Governing Territories is marginal, consisting of regional investment projects that have mainly addressed coastal environmental protection concerns. Moreover, in collaboration with the Caribbean Development Bank, the Caribbean Community Climate Change Centre, the Caribbean Disaster and Emergency Management Agency and the Caribbean Water Initiative (funded by the Canadian International Development Agency), FAO hosted a regional writeshop to prepare disaster risk management plans for hurricanes, floods and droughts in the agriculture sector, which was held in Grenada from 17 to 19 January 2012. It was attended by participants from Caribbean countries, in addition to the Territories of Anguilla, the British Virgin Islands, Montserrat and the Turks and Caicos Islands. The participants also took part in a study funded by FAO to determine the status of preparation of disaster risk management plans for the agriculture sector.

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